## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 917 By Walker (Blount)

A RESOLUTION to honor Tracy Jean Campbell, 1998 Valedictorian of Heritage High School.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly should honor those individuals who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment have achieved excellence in their academic careers; and

WHEREAS, Tracy Jean Campbell is one such outstanding student who has distinguished herself as valedictorian of the 1998 graduating class at Heritage High School; and

WHEREAS, through long hours of diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and untiring commitment of time and talent, Ms. Campbell has achieved extraordinary academic success, and has joined the ranks of the elite students of Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, in her laudable high school career, Tracy Campbell has earned an exceptional grade point average, ranking first in her class of 325; she received academic letters in mathematics, language arts, science and history as a freshman, sophomore, and junior; and

WHEREAS, she earned third place honors in French I Composition, first place in French II Composition, and Second place on French II Diction at the Roane State Academic Festival; Tracy is also listed in *Who's Who Among American High School Students;* and *Who's Who Among Heritage High School Students*; and

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WHEREAS, for her athletic abilities, Ms. Campbell earned letters in tennis in her freshman, sophomore and junior years, and in volleyball in her freshman and sophomore years; she was a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes from 1994-1997; and

WHEREAS, she is a Tennessee Valley Scholar, and was a member of the National Honor Society in 1996-1997, serving as President from 1997-1998, and as Treasurer of the Student Council from 1994-1995; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Campbell was also a correspondent for the Heritage High School Daily Times and a writer for the Heritage High School Newspaper; and

WHEREAS, a faithful member of Colonial Heights United Methodist Church, she served as Vice President of the Youth Group from 1996-1997, and President from 1997-1998; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Campbell's display of intellectual prowess and inner drive surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her scholastic achievement is a great source of pride for her parents, Bobby and Antoinette Campbell, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Campbell's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor 1998 Heritage High School Valedictorian, Tracy Jean Campbell on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, Than an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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